MISSING PAGE

1 APRIL 1948

1 TO 3

MOVE TO BREAK MINERS' STRIKE

WASHINGTON, March 31, (Reuter): Congressman Fred Hartley (Republican, New Jersey) introduced legislation today to make Labour Unions subject to prosecution under the Anti-Trust Laws. It is admittedly aimed at Mr. John L. Lewis, leader of the striking United Mine workers.

The bill, a proposed amendment to the Taft-Hartley Labour Management Act, would make it unlawful for Labour Unions to combine in restraint of trade. The house has approved similar legislation twice, but it never became law.

Congressman Hartley is co-author of the Labour Law bearing his name.

At present Labour Unions are free from the Anti-Trust Laws which forbid business firms to set up restraints on trade, fix prices or foster monopoly.

Almost 400,000 soft coal miners have been out for 16 days, in a dispute over pensions.

Nizam Objects To New Air Service Through Hyderabad?

(Continued from Page 1.)

the R.S.S. and Hindu Mahasabha were arrested and detained since the Sangh was declared an unlawful association. About 200 of them had expressed regret and given assurance in writing that they would have nothing to do with the RSS or any other similar organisations in future; 150 were released on giving such undertakings. Twenty persons had been treated as Class I prisoners and the remainder as Class II. The previous category of A, B and C did not exist in Delhi. Class II corresponded to C but without labour.

PROSECUTIONS FOR ALLEGED CORRUPTION

Replying to Prof. N. G. Ranga, Pt. Nehru said that since the passing of the Prevention of Corruption Act on March 11, 1947 and upto March 10, 1948, 198 cases involving officials of the Central Services were registered by the Delhi Special Police Establishment. Of these, 13 cases involving 19 Government servants fell to the jurisdiction of the Pakistan Government and their results were not known.

In the remaining cases 63 officials had been prosecuted in courts and the prosecution of another 20 was under consideration.

In the cases so far put in courts, two Government servants had been convicted and two acquitted and the remaining cases were pending trial. The cases of 200 officials were still under investigation.

NO DUTY ON PERISHABLE FOOD ARTICLES FROM PAKISTAN

Mr. R. K. Shanmugham Chetty, Finance Minister said in a written reply to Mr. Basanta Kumar Das that certain perishable articles of food such as fish, eggs, milk and fresh milk products, fresh vegetables and fruits had already been exempted from customs duty when imported from Pakistan across the land customs [illegible] The question of exempting from toms duty other articles likely imported from Pakistan was consideration.

Licences under the Import a port Control Regulations were required in respect of imports Pakistan but they were requ respect of exports.

NO THOUGHT OF CHANG CAPITAL.

There were a number of mentaries on a question relati change of capital. Pt. Nehru that Government was not pay slightest attention to this mat regards scienitfic and techni stitutes, Government would li to be spread out all over the and not located in a centra

Dr. V. Subramaniam asked Government were aware that Delhi markets was adultera sold as pure ghee.

Rajkumari Amrit Kaur, Minister said

EUROPEAN COLONIES IN THE AMERICAS

Line-Up Of Western Hemisphere Countries At Bogota Conference

BOGOTA, March 30, (Reuter): The Ninth International Conference of American States opened here today with Colombia calling on the other 20 nations to dedicate themselves to maintaining peace, and keeping the forces opposed to the principles of democracy, and the inspiration of Christianity, from prevailing in the world.

The key address was given by the Colombian President, Senor Mariano Dopina Perez, at the formal opening ceremony.

Official statements at the opening of the Pan-American Conference were today revealed the line-up of the 21 American nations on the colonial question.

Against European possession of colonies are Agrentina, Guatemala, Venezuela, Bolivia, Ecuador, Mexico, Panama, Chile, Paraguay and Peru.

In favour of European possessions are the United States, Brazil, Colombia, Uruguay, Cuba and Nicaragua.

El Salvador, Costa Rica, Haiti, Honduras and the Dominican Rebublic are uncertain.

Some of the statements were not unequivocal and are probably subject to change.

BHABHA TO RESIGN

(Continued from Page 1.)

in February. He was, however, requested by Pt. Nehru to "carry on" until at least the Budget Session was over.

Mr. Bhabha's resignation, it is learnt has no political significance. He resigned for purely domestic reasons.

KIDWAI TO RESIGN?

NEW DELHI, March 31, (I.P.A.): Following Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai's speech to Lucknow socialists, wherein he is reported to have said: "I have never declined a sincere invitation to join the Socialist Party," political observers here anticipate his resignation from the Union Cabinet, Indian Press Association understands.

Mr. Kidwai speaking at Lucknow, made bitter comment on the Cabinet's policy of short-sightedness.

Socialist circles interpret Mr. Kidwai's speech as another feather in their cap.

After resigning from the Cabinet, Mr. Kidwai is likely to join the Socialist Party, it is further reported.

Other observers hint that Mr. Kidwai may lead the Opposition.

THREAT TO LIFE OF MORARJI

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Home Minister Morarji Desai revealed in the Legislative Assembly today that he received this morning a letter from an unnamed correspondent threatening him with death.

In the course of his reply to the debate on the Public Security Measures Act, the Minister read out extracts from the eight-page letter, some of which ran as follows:

[illegible]are doomed.....Take care of [illegible] will make a Gandhi [illegible]se was Truth, that [illegible]ed.....High Court [illegible]igh Court has [illegible] cut your [illegible]he major [illegible]id was [illegible]d too [illegible]

SOVIET CONCESSION IN CLAIMS AGAINST AUSTRIA

LONDON, March 31 (Reuter): Russia made a 25,000,000 dollar concession in her claims against Austria when the Deputies to the Foreign Ministers of Britain, France, the United States and Russia met here today.

The Original Russian claim was for a lump sum payment of 200,000,000 dollars over two years in part settlement of the disposal of German Assets in Austria. This figure was later reduced to 175,000,000 dollars and today M. H. V. Koktomov, the Soviet Representative, made a new proposal for the payment to Russia of 150,000,000 dollars in convertible currency over a period of six years.

Some disappointment was felt, however, when M. Koktomov made it clear that the new figure did not take into account the French proposal that Austria's exterior assets in Hungary, Yugoslavia and Rumania should be used to help pay the sum.

General Pierre Cherriere ,the French delegate, said his "enthusiasm" was a good deal less since he heared M Koktomov's remark on the French proposal. A hundred and fifty million dollars in six years was still a little high and he hoped this was not the Soviet last word.

Mr. James Marjoribanks, the British delegate, welcomed the Russian statement but said he was still preoccupied with how Austria could pay this and what would happen if she failed to do so.

Earlier, the British delegate agreed with the French and United States proposal that a 100,000,000 dollars should be paid to Russia partly in goods and partly in currency.

Mr. Samuel Reber, the United States Deputy, considered that Austria's ability to pay would depend on the other obligations put upon her.

News In Brief

NEW DELHI, March 31 (API): The All-Asian Peasants' Conference scheduled to meet in Rangoon on April 6, 1948, has been cancelled owing to the inability of invitee nations to attend, according to information received here.

NEW DELHI, March 31 (API): The Government of India have decided to abolish, with effect from April 1, 1948, the control which they have been exercising on the main port selling prices of motor spirit, superior kerosene, inferior kerosene and new four-gallon kerosene tins, says a Press Note.

MADRAS, March 31 (API): The Madras Government have decided to restore the pay withheld from the non-Gazetted Government officers for their participation in the recent strike. They have also decided to cancel the orders of postponement of increment for one week passed on them.

POONA, March 31 (API): The Poona Municipality has decided to levy a cycle tax of Rs. two per annum on such vehicles plying in the city limits. The levy is expected to yield an annual income of nearly Rs. 2,000,000.

BANGKOK, March 31 (Reuter): Dr. Sieh Pao Tsiow, a high Chinese Government official at Nanking, will be the new Chinese Ambassador to Siam it was learned here today.

WASHINGTON, March 30 (Reuter) House of Representatives today adopted by voice vote amendment requiring 50 per cent of Marshall Aid cargoes be carried in United States ships.

SHANGHAI, March 31 (Reuter): The Chinese Government is planning to organise an overseas national reconstruction company to encourage Chinese abroad to remit money back to China and invest their capital in Chinese enterprise.

MONTGOMERY IN BRUSSELS

Says, Will Obey Orders If Asked To Head Jt. General Staff Of Western Union

BRUSSELS, March 31, (Reuter): Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery Chief of the British Imperial General Staff who flew here today at the invitation of the Belgian Army for a three-day visit was asked what he would do if asked to head a Joint General Staff of the five nations in the Western Military Alliance Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg.

"I am a soldier I always obey orders" was his reply.

Field Marshal Montgomery will also visit Germany on April 3 when he will be the guest of Gen. Sir Brian Robertson, British Military Governor at his house in Ostenwaide.

Field Marshal Montgomery also hoped to pay a brief visit to Berlin on April 6.

EAST PUNJAB GOVT. TO BAN REDS?

JULLUNDUR, March 30: The East Punjab Government is considering the issue of declaring the Communist Party of India as an unlawful organisation, Indian Press Association reliably understands.

'Vainateya' Editor Acquitted

SAWANTWADI, March 30.

From 'Vainateya' office:

Mr. R. D. Rangnekar, judge and first class magistrte, Sawantwadi, acquitted today Mr. M. D. Shirodkar, editor, 'Vainteya' of all charges levelled against him by the State under Newsprint Control Order and the Press Act.

Mrs. Shushilabai Shirodkar, who was also prosecuted as co-accused, was discharged by the court at an earlier stage.

KARACHI COTTON

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

KARACHI, March 31: Cotton Rollers Types Sind NT Rs. 75, Punjab Rs. 289, F Rs. 85/86, 4F Rs. 60, May Rs. 59. [illegible] business about 1,200 bales consisting Sind and Punjab Desi [illegible]s 17,310 bales of [illegible]rpool and [illegible] Cot[illegible]

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Quietly Firm

LONDON, March 31 (Reuter): Speculative buying of industrials gave a firm start to the new stock exchange account today. On hopes of no further increase in taxation, tobacco shares were in demand with Imperials featuring at 5 and 29 32. Other leaders, including the foremost amongst irons and steels, were generally some pence higher. Canadian Pacific Railway appreciated on increase in Canadian Railway Freight charges with common stock three-eights higher at 20 and one-eighth whilst preference jumped two points to 77 and half.

The oil market met with considerable support concentrated in two Shell issues with new shares one and three higher and old shares one-eighth higher at 59 and three and 22.32 respectively. Part of the buying was attributed to bear covering. Inquiry for minings targeted Kaffirs divided payers and coppers, both groups presenting a firm appearance. The gilt-edged market remained quietly firm on cessation of switching from these stocks into electricity supply companies.

Terms of the new British Electricity Loan will be known tomorrow, Thursday, after the market has closed.

MADRAS STOCK EXCHANGE

Quiet Tone

MADRAS, March 31 (API): Weakness of outside markets was largely responsible for the quiet tone displayed on the local market. Sellers pre-dominated all along the line with pronounced fall in three per cent paper to Rs. 97/12; Travancore Banks to Rs. 26/4; Cambodias to Rs. 11/14; Madura Mills to Rs. 42//12; and Pacts to Rs. 6/10. At close, selling pressure had not eased and the tone was distinctly weak.

The following are today's quotations:

SUGARS AND BREWERIES: Deccan Rs. 30/14; Mysores Rs. 51; Travancore Rs. 12/12; Travancore New Rs. 10.

PLANTINGS: Chembras Rs. 5/7; Cons Coffee Rs. 9.13; Ouchterlony Rs. 7/6; Periakarmalai Rs. 25 8 Pullangodes Rs. 1/7; Thirumbadi Rs. 2/3; Vaikundam Rs. 7/4; Waterfalls Rs. 2/12/6.

TEXTILES: Balasubramania Rs. 35/8; Balasubramania "B" Rs. 66; Bangalore Woolen Rs. 258 12; Buckinghams Rs. 330; Cambodias Rs. 11/14; Coimbatore Rs. 121/8; Coimbatore Spgs. Rs. 48; Janardhans Rs. 51/8; Lakshmis Rs. 94; Maduras 42/12; Metturs Rs. 290; Pankajas Rs. 98; Radha Krishnas 152; Ranga Vilas Rs. 52; Sitaram Spg. Rs. 126; Trichinopolys Rs. 13; Vasanthas Rs. 105;

MISCELLANEOUS: Andhra Cements Rs. 70; Andhra Cements B. Rs. 6/4; Pacts Rs. 6.10; Ind. St. Rollings Rs. 9.6 Mysore Chem. Ferts Rs. 11/10; Mysore Papers Rs. 13/8; Spencer Rs. 11/4.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

Weak Tone

CALCUTTA, March 31 (API): The Calcutta Stock Exchange ruled weak round all sections due to heavy selling pressure. The following are today's final transactions up to 2.30 p.m.

BANKS: Hindustan Mercantile Bank Rs. 34, Hindustan Commercial Bank Rs. 34, [illegible] Bank Rs. 108; Uni[illegible] 60. Rs.

Digitized with financial assistance from the Government of Maharashtra on 18 April, 2017

KASHMIR DISPUTE AT STANDSTILL

BOTH PARTIES AWAIT INSTRUCTIONS FROM HOME GOVTS.

LAKE SUCCESS, March 31 (Reuter)—The Kashmir dispute before the Security Council is almost at a standstill, and even behind the scenes talks among the various delegations have practically petered out.

Both the India and Pakistan delegations are still awaiting final instructions from their Governments, and it is now considered very unlikely that the Security Council will resume the Kashmir debate before April 5.

On Monday a private meeting was held of representatives of India, Pakistan, Canada, Belgium, the United Kingdom and China, but it is understood little progress was made and no definite plans laid for further talks until such time as the two principal delegations receive official advice.

One point of some significance in the progress of future Council action is that the presidency passes on April 1 to Doctor Alfonso Lopez (Colombia).

If the Council decides to continue its practice of letting the President carry on behind-the-scenes negotiations with the two parties and then introduce into the Council what has become known as a "President's resolution", observers believe the direction of the debate may be influenced by a different approach.

It is recalled that on February 11 Doctor Lopez introduced a resolution which made the following points:

Firstly, establishment of a Five-man Commission, one member selected by India, one by Pakistan and three by the Security Council.

Secondly, the Security Council recommends Pakistan to use its efforts to persuade tribesmen and "trespassers" who invaded Kashmir to withdraw.

Thirdly, Indian and Pakistan troops should co-operate to maintain order in Kashmir until after the plebiscite.

Fourthly, the Government of Kashmir should be reorganised "on the advice of the Commission" to give "adequate proportional representation" to the various groups and interests of the population.

Fifthly, all Kashmir refugees should be guaranteed a safe return and all political prisoners released.

Sixthly, a plebiscite to be organised "under the advice and supervision of the Security Council Commission.

It is recalled also that when the Colombian proposals were first made, Mr. Gopalaswami Ayyangar, chief Indian delegate, declared that the Commission could have no jurisdiction in reorganising the Kashmir Government.

He also could not agree with the principle of proportional representation for Muslim and non-Muslim groups because this was a type of communal division which the authorities were trying to avoid in Kashmir.

"RESTORE WOMEN AND CHILDREN WEEK" IN KASHMIR

The Secretary, Lok Siksha, Jammu and Kashmir writes to say that in response to an appeal by the Ministry of Rehabilitation and Relief, the Maharani Seva Dal has been formed in Kashmir.

They observe the "Restore the Women Week" in an appropriate manner, under the presidentship of the Maharani of Kashmir, and a resolution was passed at a public meeting held in connection with the week, condemning the barbarities committed in Kashmir, and appealing to the kidnappers to restore kidnapped women and children.

Men on top in G.I.P. Railway meet at a conference: In the group are seen Mr. S. S. Vassist (General Manager), Mr. A. C. Chatterjee, O.B.E. (Chief Transportation Superintendent), Mr. A. Saldanha (Chief Engineer), Mr. H. P. Hira (Chief Traffic Manager), Mr. R. C. Paranjoti (Chief Mechanical Engineer), Mr. K. M. Rau (Controller of Stores), Mr. I. A. Panikar (Chief Auditor), Mr. V. B. Arte (Financial Adviser and Chief Accounts Officer), Dr. S. N. Lahiri (Principal Medical and Health Officer).

U.S. Senate Passes Bill For Dollar Aid For China

WASHINGTON, March 31, (Reuter): The Senate passed the 463,000,000 dollars aid for China bill after five hours of debate last night.

Earlier the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, which last week had withdrawn a report accusing the Chinese leaders of inefficiency and ineptitude, issued revised opinion declaring that China stands as a bulwark against the spread of communism.

The revised report was made public by Senator Vandenberg, Chairman of the Committee.

It stated: "there exist in China the social and political elements and ideals which can combat the hard core of disruptive alien-orientated communism in open rebellion."

China, the report added, was clearly one of the essential elements of peace in the Far East. Its independence and integrity today was threatened by civil strife.

"If no aid is given now by the United States the inference appears to be clear that we face either the possibility of China becoming a communist-dominated satellite or a civil war of increased length and intensity."

China's Nationalist Government, "led for 20 years through tremendous difficulties b[illegible] patriotism of [illegible]

would make possible the final Conference Committee report on all foreign aid by the end of this week.

CONSPIRACY OF AGGRESSION

He described China as "a major victim of that conspiracy of aggression which undermines the peace of the earth" and said quick action by Congress on the aid plans would demonstrates to the world how democracy could function when time was of the essence.

The Conference Committee to which Vandenberg referred will be set up after the Senate passage of the China aid bill and passage in the House of Representatives of its overall foreign relief measure.

In the House bill which is now being debated are 5,300,000,000 dollars for European recovery programme. 570,000,000 dollars aid for China. 275,000,000 dollars military aid for Greece and Turkey and 60,000,000 dollars for the United Nations' International Children's Fund.

EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAMME

The Senate has completed action on the European recovery programme and the Greek, Turkish milit[illegible] However, differen[illegible] provisions pass[illegible]

U.S. ESPIONAGE IN SOVIET ZONE

Former German Army Officer Confesses

MOSCOW, March 30 (Reuter).: "Pravda", Soviet Communist newspaper, today reported in a dispatch from Berlin that former German army Colonel Gerhard Pinkert, who had been arrested in the Soviet occupation zone, had confessed that he was a member of an illegal Fascist organisation existing in the western occupation zone in Germany consisting of officers of the fromer German army who were being used by the American intelligence service for espionage in the Soviet Zone.

Pinkert was said to have been Regimental Commander of the special destination division "Brandenburg". Pinkert testified, according to "Pravda", that the illegal Fascist organisation was subsidised by the American intelligence service and by big German industrialists from whom it monthly received large sums. He supplied the American intelligence service, said "Pravda", with espionage information of a military, economic and political nature.

4 SHOT DEAD AND 19 INJURED

VIENNA, March 30 (Reuter).—Three people, including a 20-year-old girl were shot dead and 19 injured when a man in Russian uniform fired with a sub-machinegun on dancing couples and the band at an Easter dance at Josefberg, near Wigher Neustadt, about 30 miles south of Vienna.

The band leader was among those killed, according to an Austrian press agency report.

The Agency said shots were fired by the man who had earlier quarrelled with some dancers. He returned after having blackened his face and brought a comrade also wearing uniform.

A reward for the arrest of the two persons has been offered by the Russian commandant.

12 Killed In Mexico Train-Bus Collision

MEXICO CITY, [illegible] 30 (Reuter). —More than [illegible] reported killed [illegible] in repor[illegible]

Russo-Finnish Talks

Mutual Aid Pact May Be Signed This Week End

MOSCOW, March 31, (Reuter). A Finnish—Soviet pact of mutual aid and friendship suggested to the Finnish Government by Marshal Stalin is expected to be signed this weekend, it was reliably learned in Moscow.

The Finnish delegation in Moscow, led by M. Launo Pakkalay the Prime Minister, has already reported back to Helsinki the detail of the Russian proposals put forward during a week of intense discussion.

The Finnish Minister in Moscow, M. Kai Sundstroem, was today giving a reception to the Finnish delegation at their legation.

Yesterday M. Molotov, the Soviet Foreign Minister, gave a reception in the Spiridonova palace to the Finnish delegation, who later visited the Kremlin, where they were conducted on a tour lasting several hours.

SOVIET PROTEST TO U.S.

Detention Of Russian Ship At New York

LONDON, March 31 (Reuter) : The Soviet Government has protested to the United States against the detention of a Soviet ship, the 17,000-ton "Rossia" in the United States, Moscow radio said last night.

The ship was detained at New York on March 18, the radio added.

"According to information, the ship was detained on the basis of a writ obtained by two passengers who claimed damages for having been injured on board during a storm," it said.

'ANTI-TAX RIO[illegible] PANTELLARI[illegible]

ROME, March 3[illegible] airborne "army" [illegible] rushed by air t[illegible] Mediterranean [illegible] Pantellaria [illegible] control of [illegible] tax riots.

Three [illegible] and in[illegible] repor[illegible]

Turkey Gets U.S. War Materials

ANKARA March 30. (Reuter): American guns, radio equipment, jeeps and other army vehicles, and a considerable amount of ammunition, comprising the second shipment of American aid to Turkey, were being unloaded today at the Turkish port of Ismid.

Unloading of a shipment of mine-sweeping devices, radio and radar instruments, steel submarine nets, industrial equipment and ammunition is expected to start tomorrow.

LEAGUER'S ABSENCE FROM U. P. ASSEMBLY

Application From Karachi For Being Excused Rejected

LUCKNOW, March 30 (API): An application of Mr. Muhammad Ashgar, a former Muslim League member who is now in Karachi stating that "his absence from the House be excused due to illness" was rejected by the U. P. Legislative Assembly by 102 votes to 16.

Mr. Mahavir Tyagi said that in normal course the petition could have been accepted but the member concerned had been responsible for disturbing the peace in U.P. and his present stay in Pakistan created grave doubts as to his intention to remain a loyal citizen of the Indian Union. On that ground alone, he wanted the House to reject the application.

'SABOTEURS WITHIN BIHAR

March 30. (API): Mr. Sri Sinha, Premier of Bihar, [illegible] the Bihar Assembly today. [illegible] Bihar Government had [illegible]session information which [illegible]t there existed a section of [illegible]s in the province who still [illegible]n Pakistan as their home[illegible]or its sake were prepared to [illegible]oteurs within Bihar.

[illegible] was replying to the debate [illegible]oved by Maulvi Abdul Ghani [illegible]gue) on the third supple[illegible]dget demand for year 1947-[illegible] general administration" to [illegible] reports submitted by the [illegible]partment of the government [illegible] Muslim National Guards.

[illegible] Muslim League members [illegible]pport of the cut and de[illegible] setting up of unofficial [illegible]o enquire into the serious [illegible] made against the Muslim [illegible]rds.

[illegible]aid that he had issued in[illegible] the district officers to re[illegible]ases and to release [illegible] could be safely set [illegible] He hoped that the lead[illegible]slim League who were now [illegible]ity to the

QUIDATION MEETS D COVERING IN BAZAR

culative Buying otton Prices

BUT GOLD STEADY

31.
o-day
icted
of
and
to-
nced
to
here
side
rate
ever.
prov-

Mackenzie Second 125 Ahd. Advance 160 Mysore Mill 50 Standard 101 Madhusudan 12

DEBENTURES

Andhra 1952 (4) 103.8 B. Steamer 1959 104/6 Indian Hume Pipe 111 Tata Power 1951 103 Walchand Nagar (6) 117.

OUTSIDE ISSUES

Indian Copper 2/10 BIC 8.8 Burma Corporation 2/12 New Victoria Mill 4.8 New Victoria Pref. 5/8 Phalton 120, Gold Mohor 340, New Kaiser-e-Hind 380 Sajjan Mill 280, 265 Ajamshahi 235, 11/8 Air Ambica 15 Air 167/8 Hind Motor 6.8 m 12/10

UCE MARKET

BOMBAY, March 31.

uce market was fairly y with active buying. It some export firms bought April May delivery at n a view to get higher final or March contract in the ement. Castorseeds May Rs. 138|4 and after im- Rs. 139 steadied at Rs. otations were as under:

UTS

quality	Rs. 32 2 0
lal ready	31 12 0
dy	31 8 0
y	31 0 0

EDS:

	31 12 0
y	138 10 0
	25 8 0
May	25 0 0

s:

Groundnut ready	17 8 0
Groundnut March	17 8 0
Groundnut April	17 5 0
Groundnut May	17 4 0
Linseed Oil	16 8 0
Castorseed First Pressing	21 0 0
Castorseed Commercial quality	19 8 0

GOLD & SILVER

BOMBAY, March 31.

e Bullion Market was fairly to-day with moderate business . It is interesting to note that liquidation in Silver is taking Some operators are buying orward ilver opened to-day 169/8 nd declined at Rs. der moderate liquidation but newed buying at Rs. at Rs. 169/14. Ready d at a discount of 169/8. Forward Gold /6 and after improv- 4 steadied at Rs. old was quoted at Sovereigns were plac-

were as under:—

	Rs. as. p.
	169 8 0
	169 12 0
	111 12 0
	111 9 0

COTTON

MBAY, March 31.

sharp reaction the t was steady with pport. The market price control on ed which will help cotton price. This g sellers and the to respond any ent.

ay option was nd declined at ed liquidation. At ried up and the s. 618 on re- g.

further buying anced at Rs. s. 620. It is w there will be as a protest y. Towards the ved and closed

623	0 0
632	0 0
636	0 0

PARITY

ntract is 1160 York May at

ON PRICES March 30 Lowest 613;

est	623 1/2
est	627 1/2

Record Of Actual Transactions In Shares

MILLS

BOMBAY, March 31.

Apollo 3/10 3/7/6
B. Dyeing 1042/8 20 35 32/8 35
C. India 330 25.8 28 26
Colaba 322/8 21/4
E. Textiles 615
Finlay 333 39
Gokak 337 35 37
I. U. Defd. 2/12 2/10 2/11
I. U. Ord. 14/14 14/13
Indore 470 57.8 67/8 65
Kohinoor 595 80 90 87
Laxmi 1590
Madhusudan 242/8
New Great 355 56
New Union 16/12
Simplex 224 21 25
Swadeshi 629 23 29 27
Tata Mills 73 71 71.8

BANKS

Central 82/8 82/4 82/12 81/12 82/4
Habib 152/8
Imperial Old 2040 35 40
India 250 50.8 49/8 50
Reserve 112
U. Commercial 62 61

ELECTRIC

B. Suburban 147.8
Hydro 152
Hydro Pref. 127/8
Power 1540 35
Power Pref. 1300

INSURANCE

Oriental 5409
New India 69/8 69
Scindia 28 27/6

STEEL

B. Steel 25.8 24/8 24/11 24/8
I. Iron 29/8 28/8 28/11
Tata Defd. 1565 17/8 40 35 42/8
Tata Ord. 329 20 24 22 24
Tata Ind Pref 135 35.8 35 36.4 36

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock 303/12 2/8
A.C.C. Old 174/8 70/4 70.8
A.C.C. New 109 8
Belapur 355 56 52/8 54
B. B. Old 435 20
B. B. Petrol 2/10 2/8
I. Bleaching 159 61
I. I. Trust 102/8
P. Const. 190 84
Kemp Co. 480
Tata Chem. 16 12 16/8
Tata Oil 59 58/8
Wimco 315 17/8

SPECIAL

Central Bank New 83 82/8
Dena Bank 61
Simplex Coupon 109 10
Surat Elec. Pref. 130
Muhammodi Steamship 101
Haydari Const. 16/2

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

Weekly Statement Of Affairs

The following is the Account of the Reserve Bank of India, for the week ended the 26th day of March:—

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	15,13,29,000
Notes in circulation	1304,36,19,000
Total Notes issued	1319,49,48,000
Total Liabilities	1319,49,48,000

ASSETS.

	Rs.
A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—	
(a) Held in India	44,41,45,000
Sterling Securities	1135,32,89,000
Total of A	1179,74,34,000
B. Rupee Coin	36,91,09,000
Government of India Rupee Securities	102,84,05,000
Total Assets	1319,49,48,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 89.409 per cent.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000
Deposits:—	
(a) Central Government of	
(1) India	267,47,14,000
(2) Pakistan	52,56,24,000
(b) Other Governments in	
(1) India	20,74,21,000
(2) Pakistan	3,49,03,000
(c) Banks	78,89,66,000
(d) Others	34,15,91,000
Bills Payable	3,86,55,000
Other Liabilities	15,51,12,000
Total Rs.	486,69,86,000

ASSETS.

	Rs.
Notes	15,13,29,000
Rupee Coin	11,86,000
Subsidiary Coin	1,75,000
Bills Purchased and Discounted:—	
(c) Government Treasury Bills	1,80,85,000
Balances held abroad	392,64,33,000
Loans and Advances to Governments	3,00,000
Investments	72,80,82,000
Other Assets	4,13,96,000
Total Rs.	486,69,86,000

CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA

The following is the Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Central Bank of India, Ltd. for the fortnight dated 15th March.

LIABILITIES:—

	Rs.
Capital Subscribed	5,76,05,600
Capital Paid-up	2,61,84,000
Capital Paid-up Ordinary 'A' Shares	52,36,000
Reserve Fund	2,55,42,000
Contingency Fund	45,00,000
Deposits, Debts due to Bank and Agents, Bills Payable, etc.	1,29,50,53,000
Sundries including Branch—Adjustments	31,79,09,000
Rupees	1,67,44,24,000

ASSETS:—

	Rs.
Cash Credit and Overdrafts on Government and other Authorised Securities	41,90,44,000
Loans on Government and other Authorised Securities	8,59,20,000
Bills Discounted	6,19,88,000
Lands & Buildings	99,69,000
Sundries including Branch—Adjustments	24,17,25,000
Cash in hand, at Banks, Moneys at Call and Investments in War Bonds, Government Paper, Treasury Bills, Shares, Debentures, etc.	85,57,78,000
Rupees	1,67,44,24,000

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, March 31.

B C Rates I I D D 1/6 15/16 Ready
B C Rates T T D D 1/5 29/32 up to 6 Months
London Banks Selling T T D D 1/5 31/32 Ready
London Banks Selling T T D D 1/5 15/16 up to 6 Months
London Banks Buying I T 1/6 1/32 to 9th Month
London Banks Buying T T 1/6 1/16 10th-12th Month
London Banks Buying D D 1/6 1/16 to 4th Month
London Banks Buying D D 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th Month
London Banks Buying D D 1/6 1/8 7th and 9th Month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 1/8 to 4th Month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 5th and 6th Month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 3/16 7th and 9th Month
London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 5/32 to 4th Month
London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 3/16 5th and 6th Month
London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 7/32 7th and 9th Month
New York and Montreal B C Rates I T Rs 332 1/4
Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 332 1/4
Banks Buying T T Rs. 330
Banks Buying D D N Y Rs. 328 3/4
Montreal Rs 328 1/2
Banks Buying D D N Y Rs. 329
Montreal Rs 328 3/4 L/C
Paris Banks Selling T T Fcs. 6400
Paris Banks Buying T. T. Fcs. 6550
Amsterdam Banks Selling T T D D Fl 79
Belgium Banks Selling T T D Fcs. 1305
Java Banks Selling T T D D—79
Hongkong Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 84
Singapore Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 157 1/4
New York-London Cross Rate Dol 4.02 3/4 to 4.03 1/4
London/Afghanistan Cross Rate Afghani Rs. 52.57-53.43
London Alexandria 12m 97 1/4-3/4
London Amsterdam Fl 10.68-70
London Bangkok Tcl. 40
London Belgium Fcs. 176 1/2-3/4
London Denmark Kr. 19.32-36
London Hongkong 1/3 1/16
London Iran Rl 128-130
London Java Fl. 10.68-70
London Lisbon Es 99.80-100.20
London Manila Pes. 8.07-12
London Montreal Dol. 4.02 3/4-4.03 1/4
London New Dol 4.02 3/4 4.03 1/4
London Oslo Kr 19.98 20.02
London Paris Fcs. 863.40-864.60.
London Prague K 201-202
London Singapore 2/4 7/32-1/8
London Stockholm Kr. 14.47-50
London Switzerland Fcs 17.34-36
London Syria 880-5
London Discts 3 Months 9/16 p.c.
London Discts 6 Months 5/8 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate 3 p.c. Bank of England Rate 2 p.c.

Money:—Call 1/2 p c 3 months 3/4 p c 6 months 1 p c 12 months 1-1/2 p.c.

Tone:—Easy.

GOVERNMENT LOANS

BOMBAY, March 31.

	Rs.	as.	p
2-1/2 p.c. 1954	99	10	0
2-1/2 p.c. 1950	100	15	0
2-1/2 p.c. 1961	98	12	0
2-3/4 p.c. 1948-52	100	4	0
2-3/4 p.c. 1960	99	0	0
2-3/4 p.c. 1962	99	4	0
2-3/4 p.c. 1976	99	0	0
3 p.c. non-Terminable	86	4	0
3 p.c. 1986 Con.	97	14	0
3 p.c. 1949-52	101	2	0
3 p.c. 1951-54	102	2	0
3 p.c. 1953-56	102	0	0
3 p.c. 1957	10	6	0
3 p.c. 1959-61	101	2	0
3 p.c. 1966-68	100	2	0
3 p.c. 1970-75	99	10	0
3 1/2 p.c. 1954-59	105	6	0
4 p.c. 1945-53	102	0	0
4 p.c. 1960-70	111	12	0
4-1/2 p.c. 1958-67	105	4	0
4-1/2 p.c. 1955-60	113	4	0
4-1/2 p.c. 1958-67	116	4	0

PROVINCIAL LOANS

2-3/4 p.c. U.P. 1961	89	12	0
2-3/4 p.c. Madras 1961.	99	0	0
3 p.c Bombay 1955	101	10	0
3 p.c. Bombay 1958	101	10	0
4 p.c. Punjab 1949	99	2	0
3 p.c. Madras 1952-53	100	12	0
3 p.c. Punjab 1952	99	4	6
3 p.c. U. P. 1952	112	0	0
3 p.c. C. P. 1952	101	0	0
3 p.c. N.-W. F. 1952	99	14	0
3 p c. U. P. 1961-66	100	10	0
3 p.c. Bombay Port Trust	111	4	0
4 p.c. Bombay Municipality City	111	0	0
3 p.c Bombay Municipality 1959	117	0	0
6 p.c. Municipality 1954	119	0	0
3-1/4 p.c. New Municipal 1977	100	12	0
5 p.c. BPT	110	0	0

NEW YORK COTTON LESS ACTIVE

NEW YORK, March 30 (U.P.A.): Trading turned less active and prices were irregular on the New York Cotton Exchange today, as traders took a breathing spell after the recent sharp advance. Few observers were skeptical of the technical position and were inclined to go slow pending further developments.

Nearly may crowded near 35 cent level but the demand from a spot firm tapered off and the gains were erased in the final flurry of selling. A spot firm which took upwards of 25,000 bales in May yesterday, bought around 10,000 bales today. The supposition was that more cotton remained to be price-fixed against sales to China but spot interests and shippers were likely to wait reaction before proceeding further. Usually well informed Southern firms were of opinion that China purchases may have been nearer one hundred thousand bale mark. Background factors, acting to brighten the whole export outlook, included the assumption that the 570,000,000 dollar relief bill for China would include over 114,000,000 dollars used for cotton purchases. Austria, France and Italy were also expected in the market soon for raw cotton following the approval of the dol. 55,000,000 interim aid fund for those countries. Unconfirmed reports said that considerable amount of cotton was now en route to European and Oriental countries in anticipation of credits to be granted eitheir by Congress or private banks.

EXPORT FUND

Under Secretary of Agriculture Dodd today urged the passage of the recently introduced Senate Bill to set up 150,000,000 dollar revolving funds to facilitate exports of raw cotton, wool and hides to occupied areas for processing there. The under Secretary told the Senate Agriculture Committee that he believed the Bill would facilitate use of certain grades of American cotton and wool normally in surplus position.

Today's session opened three points higher to eleven points lower, and prices backed narrowly in quiet dealings until midafternoon. Then rallied to the day's highest level during half an hour and then again in the last few minutes of trading. Finally the market closed one point lower to three points higher.

Allowing for technical reactions, our market correspondent believes that the market now is headed into a higher ground.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, March 30

May	35.26
July	34.63+01
October	31.75—01
December	31.09+03
Middling spot	36.20

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, March 30

May	35.31+09
July	34.72+11
October	31.77+04
December	31.07—03
Middling spot	35.00—10

AMERICAN COTTON PARITY

WASHINGTON, March 28: Mid-March parity price for cotton 30.63, compared with Mid-February 30.75 and March last year 28.15.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, March 30

Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£76 3/8
Conversion loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	104 1/2
War loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952 and after	103 11/16
Funding loan 4 per cent 1960/90	111 3/4
Victory bonds 4 per cent	113 3/4
Chartered Bank of I A and China	12 1/4
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London reg)	119
National Bank of India	37 1/4

Transactions on the London Stock Exchange are officially placed at 7,930.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, March 30

T. T. London on:—	
New York selling	4.0275
New York buying	4.0325
Montreal selling	4.0275
Montreal buying	4.0325
Zurich selling	17.34
Zurich buying	17.36
Madrid	44.00
Stockholm	14.47 to 14.50

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, March 30

May	2.43 1/2 to 2.43 3/4
July	2.31 to 2.31 1/4
September	2.29 1/2 to 2.29 1/4
December	2.29 1/4

London, March 30

Australian wheat (bulk) May/June quoted 137/6

NEW YORK SILVER

New York, March 30

U. S. price of foreign silver 74 5/8 cents.

WOOL TOPS

NEW YORK, March 30, (U. P. A.): Wool Tops closed quiet, one point higher to 15 points lower, on the New York Market today.

Closing prices were: April, 181 nom.; May, 181.1/182; July, 180.1/181; Oct., 178/178.9; Dec., 175.5/177; March, 170.5/174; May, 167.5/172.

SHIPPING NEWS

IMPORTS & EXPORTS

IMPORTS

BOMBAY, March 31.

S. S. CAPE FRIENDSHIP

From New Orleans:—

560 spirals galvanized barb wire; 50 drums white pine oil; 12653 coils hot rolled carbon hoops; 15975 slabs zinc; 1016 bags sulpher; 950 drums lubricating oil.

S. S. JALVEERA

From Moulmein:—

267 pieces teak squares; 2255 pieces teak long planks; 302 pieces planks; 4627 pieces teak short settings; 4045 bdls. teak logs; 211 pieces teak logparts; 3200 bdls. teak log settings; 63 kes. teak squares, 538 pkgs. teak log square parts, 17467 pieces teak short settings: 1165 pieces teak setting, 57 pieces teak plank shorts.

From Rangoon:—1624'48 pkgs teak scantlings; 462 pieces teak posts, 831 pieces teak square, 5390 pieces teak planks, 89 pices teak boards.

EXPORTS

S.S. GURNIA

To London:—50 bags bees ware—Anantrai and Co. 174 bags turmeric—Eastern Export Co. (B'by.) Ltd. 263 bales hemp—M. Dawoodbhai, 12 cases bristals—at P. Sambhukal K. 64 bags termeric finger—B. Ramsingh, 15 cases bristals—A. Radius and Co.

To Antwerp:—1833 bags crushed bones—Imperial Chemical Industries (Ind.) Ltd.

S.S. INDIAN EXPORTER

To Hongkong:—290 drums glycerine—G. Dossa and Co. 10 bdls. woollen carpets—Simplex India Ltd.

To Shanghai:—2100 bales raw cotton—Kotak and Co. 1000 bales raw cotton—N. Nagsee and Co. 803 bales raw cotton China Trading Industrial Development Corporation Ltd.

S.S. DWRAKA

To Busrah:—500 bags talcum powder—M. A. Mallic and Co.

S.S. CAGLIARI

To Aden:—6 cases aluminium bars—Bombay Crafts.

S.S. EXHIBITOR

To Aden:—15 bdls. iron nails—C. Kasturchand. 35 bales cotton piecegoods—C. Ujanshibhai.

S. S. TAIRA

To Mombassa 10 bags Corriander seed and 27 cases hair oil —Transworld Traders

From Renown Commercial Corporation —20 bags cummin seed and 19 cases hair oil. 12 cases jourcatri —Thana Trading Comp.

From E. Munji Bros 17 bales cotton waste blankets and 65 bales citton piecegoods.

From S. Anantelal and Gros. 15 cases earthen jars 20 cases glass jars Cotton piecegoods 37 bales—E Manji & Sons 17 bales —Parikh Bros. 10 bales—L. Dayal From Jayantilal & Co: 10 bags Cimmin seed 5 bags fenel seed 20 bags dry gringer 10 bags turmeric.

To Daressalam: 7 bales wollen carpes—B. Choitram cotton piecegoods 17 bales —A. H. Esmail & Co. 15 bales B'bay overseas Trading Co. 15 bales A. A. Karim Bros Ltd 20 bales —B. Kalidas & Co.

To Beirut: Cotton waste blankets 11 bales— New Era Trading Co. 12 bales—K. Kanji 19 bales —Indukumar & Co. 19 bales —Pragji & Co. 6 bales K. Patel and Sons.

S. S. JALVEERA

To Dunkirk: Cotton raw 1820 bales—V. Ladha & Co. 1767 bales —Cotton Export and Import Co.

To Liverpool: Cotton waste blankets 20 bales—T. V. Manskharai & Co. 20 bales—Khirani Bros.

S. S. SILVER CEDAR

To Colombo: 50 bags cummin seed —M. A. Pillai.

S. S. BENARES

To Rotterdam: 42 bales cotton singlets —B. K. Kashyap.

S. S. FLYING INDEPENDENT

To Aden: 46 bales cotton piecegood —S. A. Bassan.

S. S. DOLTON HALL

To Montreal: 79 bags podotvhume —Caprohans (Ltd.) Ltd.

S. S. BARPETA

To Dubai: 21 cases agerwood —S. M. Munsif.

A. REBELLO—2 31ST

Arrivals And Departures Of Steamers

ARRIVALS

"FLYING INDEPENDENT" arrived from Yokahama, on March 29, with 5,700 tons of gneral cargo (Shaw Wallace)

"BRITISH JUSTICE" arrived from Grangemouth on March 30, with 11019 tons of Diesel aid fuel oil. (Anglo-Iranian Oil Co.)

"BENARES" arrived from Madras on March 30, with 4590 ons of general cargo (United India)

"SHIRALA" arrived from Karachi on March 30, with 2438 passengers (M.M.)

"JALADURGA" arrived from Karachi on March 31, with 2719 passengers Scindia).

"EXCHANGE" arrived from New York, on March 31, with 4161 tons of general cargo (Lionel Edwards).

SAILINNG

"TONJER" sailed for Calcutta on March 29, with 4,300 tons of general cargo.

"TRIPORT" sailed for Calcutta on March 29, with 3900 tons of general cargo.

"STRATHAIRD" sailed for London on March 30 with 2,500 tons of general cargo.

"DWARKA" sailed for Busrah on March 30, with 594 passengers and 868 tons of general cargo.

"BHARAT MATA" sailed for Calcutta, on March 30, with 6,036 tons of coal and general cargo.

"AMBICA" sailed for Calutta, on March 30 with 1,500 tons of general cargo.

Indian Stock Exchange

BOMBAY, March 31.

Tata Ordinary 324; Tata Deferred 1542.8, Indian Iron 28/11; Steel Corpu of Bengal 24.8, Bombay Dyeing 1035 Central India 326/4; Gokag 336/14; Kohinoor 586/14. Simplex 225, Swadeshi 626/14; Tata Power 1535, Associated Cement 170.8; Belapur 353/12. Bombay Burma (Old) 420; Scindia 27.6 Central Bank 82/8, New India 68/12; Tata 2nd. Pref. 136.4.

Calicut Market

CALICUT, March 31.

Coiryarn Beypore 140/150 Quilandy 160/170 Fibre Garbled 110 Ungarbled 100 Coconuts Raw 85 Dry 95 Coconutoil 330 Copra Office 225 Dipasand 230 Madras Nottam 240 Pepper Wynaad 840 Country 825 Dryginger Chernad 290 Ernad 285 Coffe Robusta 160 Timber Pali 50/57 6 Junglewood 27/8 /32 6 Vellapine 50/60 Benteak 40-45 Teak 80/90 Mangoplanks 3 3-4 Teak 15/18 Rosewood 16-20.

Kutch Hundi

BHUJ March 30.

Kutch Hundi buyers 303 sellers 304, Gold 106 Silver 149.

Bhivandi Rice

BHIVANDI, March 30.

	Rs.
Navabi Surti Colam	67-1/2 to 70
Kashnia	66

WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK: March 30, (Reuter

Stocks were fractionally irregular in limited trading reflecting disposition to await further Washington developments. Leading oils, minings, aircrafts, rubbers, steels, farm implements, motors and rails attracted modest support. Rails were virtually neglected following the office of defence transportation warning that railroads have only 23-day supply of coal on hand and further freight service reduction is necessary if the coal strike continues. Some revivial of buying interest brought gains covering one dollar or more featured by leading steels, rails, tobaccos, rubbers, films, papers, and aircrafts. Caution, however, tended to limit the extent of short covering and replacement demand as traders noted the survey showing the impact of the soft-coal strike will really be felt in the leading industrial centres in about a fortnight. Increased profit taking was fairly well absorbed and the market closed firm at or around the day's best levels.

Chicago Grains

CHICAGO, March 30, (Reuter)

Chicago grains eased on selling credited to eastern interests and large local traders influenced by continued favourable weather conditions in the southwest. However somewhat better support developed after Washington news that a department of agriculture official urged congress to cancel the 150 million bushel wheat carryover limit. Flour mills and cash houses bought wheat against sales of flour and cashwheat to Government agencies.

Quiet Trading On Worth Street

NEW YORK, March 30, (U. P. A.): On the Worth Cotton Cloth Market, commission merchants today reported increased number of inquiries for cotton goods although the actual trading remained on the quiet side in most divisions. Rise in raw cotton prices along with possibilities of increased Government buying for military has acted to stimulate consumer interest, according to brokers here.

New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, March 30.

American Telephone and Telegraph	149-5/8
Anaconda Copper Mining	23-1/4
Chase National Bank	35-1/4
Sinclair Oil Co.	18-1/4
Firestone Tyre & Rubber Co.	49
General Electric Co.	35-1/8
General Motors	54
Ingersol Rand	130
International Nickel	29-1/4
National City Bank of New York	38
New York Central Rail Road Co.	13-7/8
Socony Vacuum Corporation	16-3/4
Texas Corporation	56-1/2
Union Carbon & Carbide	102-7/8
U. S. Smelting Refining Mining Co.	44-1/4
U. S. Steel Corporation (Common)	73-1/4
Western Union Telegraph	21

FINANCE, TRADE AND INDUSTRY

The tone of the market last week was erratic, and the trend continues to be downward. The Kashmir and the Hyderabad issues are awaiting solution. This, coupled with the formation of a full-fledged separate Socialist party, have created additional misgivings among investors. The market circles fear that the leftist leanings of the Congress may be strengthened to win the support of the masses. Alternately, the Congress might form a coalition to blunt their opposition. It is feared that there is not much scope for progressive capitalism. Some also feel that the Congress may be dislodged by the Socialists.

* * *

The speech of Sir Chintaman Deanmukh, Governor of the Reserve Bank of India, at the celebration of the Founders Day of the Gokhale School of Politics and Economics Poon, sometime ago was a refreshing break from past conventions. Sir Chintaman said that the Board of the Bank considered the intention of the Government of India to nationalise the Bank as "premature and not logically necessary in view of the stage of economic development reached by the country." Should the Government decision to nationalise the Bank be irrevocable, the Board would be willing to co-operate to evolve a reasonable scheme. The other disclosure made by him was that during the past years the Board tried, although unsuccessfully, to safeguard the interests of the country against inflation the protection of sterling balances.

* * *

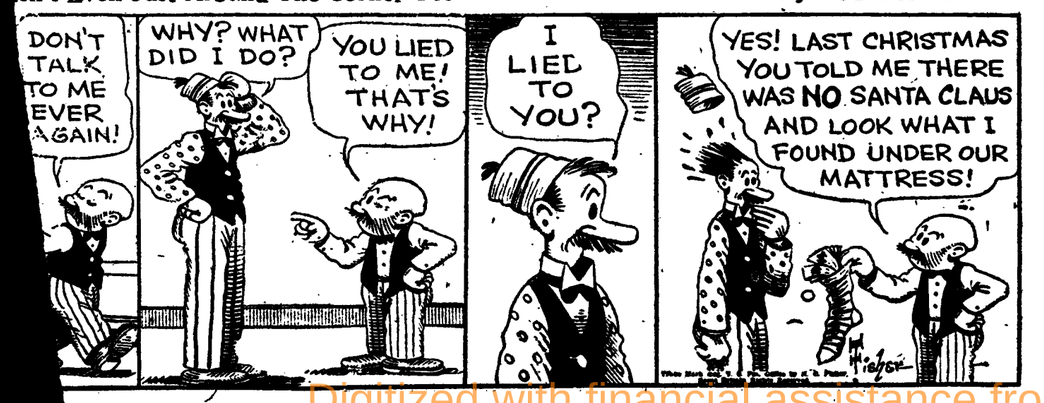
It is rumoured in Bombay that the Belapur Company will reduce the price of sugar to 14 annas from 15 annas obtaining at present. With decontrol, sugar prices are declining gradually.

* * *

The Government of India has decided to lift price control on exports of handloom cloth. B. N.

Isn't Even Just Around The Corner Yet

By BUD FISHER


DON'T TALK TO ME EVER AGAIN!
WHY? WHAT DID I DO?
YOU LIED TO ME! THAT'S WHY!
I LIED TO YOU?
YES! LAST CHRISTMAS YOU TOLD ME THERE WAS NO SANTA CLAUS AND LOOK WHAT I FOUND UNDER OUR MATTRESS!

Digitized with financial assistance from the Government of Maharashtra on 18 April, 2017

OUR TABULATED ADLETS

2 ANNAS PER WORD

Minimum Rs. 1/8/-

To Be Paid In Advance

MATRIMONIAL

Any respectable Telugu Brahmin girl except Harithasa Gotram for well placed youth 25. Parents contact with Photo Horoscope. Apply Box No. 8445, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted well-settled Bengali Kayastha bridegroom (35-40) for handsome well accomplished Bengali graduate girl rich noble family. **Box No. 8402, "Bombay Chronicle".**

SITUATIONS VACANT

Wanted a Shorthand Typist. Write with full particulars as regards experience, etc. to Box No. 3535 "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted Typists, Stenos, Clerks, Supervisors, Managers, Teachers, Technicians and Engineers for various established organisation. Apply stating merits for details. "Globe Employment Bureau, Agra. 8446

Wanted one Lady Doctor with experience in Maternity and Gynaecology for the Indian Steel & Wire Products Ltd., Tatanagar, on graded salary of Rs. 150-10-250 in addition to allowances and free unfurnished quarter. Apply with testimonials to the Chief Medical Officer. 7922

Applications are invited for the posts of Head-Masters of Fisheries Schools in the Surat and Ratnagiri Districts. Candidates knowing Gujarati and Marathi need only apply. Posts are temporary but likely to be made permanent. Qualifications: B. Sc. in Zoology. Pay Scale:—Rs. 70-5-130-E.B.-6-160-8-200 plus Rs. 35/- Dearness Allowance. Applications giving all particulars to reach the Director of Fisheries, Old Custom House Yard, Bombay, not later than 15th April, 1948. 7960

ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE

Furnished small flat offered for one year's temporary use, during owner's absence to reliable party. Contact through Buy & Sell Agency, 356 Grant Road opposite Hardinge Company. 8440

EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

A Batch for Vacation—Davar's College of Commerce—Enrol immediately for all Specialisation and Professional Diploma Courses for training throughout vacation for next year's examinations. Tuition personal or postal. Call or write for Prospectus, 51, Esplanade Road. 8448

MEDICAL ADLET

Kailash Hills Herb (Regd.) **relieves** Asthma of all five kinds completely by one dose to be taken on 23-4-48 (full moon). Apply in English or Hindi. Brahmachari G. Das, Srisidh Brahmacharya, Sewa-Ashram, P.O. Chitrakot U.P. 8436

Epilepsy & Hysteria by smelling this wonderful herb when attacked by Fits, a black worm 1½" long will come out with the sneeze of the patient. The patient will get a miraculous cure of the diseases for ever. Apply in English:—Shri 108 Mahatma Sidh Baba, P. O. Nagod (Jubbulpore). 8435

"Amrita Malam" A Wonderful Medicine for Gangrene and Leprosy Rs 12/8 per phial V P. charges extra Menaka Debi 19 S.N. Banerji Rd., Calcutta. (5462D)

AGENTS WANTED

Wanted Selling Agents in each city for our Umbrellas Apply to Box No. 8417 Bombay Chronicle.

Wanted Agents Stockists for Aryamalam, Arya Laboratories, 19, Surendra Banerji Road, Calcutta (7483)

PROPERTY FOR SALE

For Sale a spacious and beautiful Bungalow facing the Sea at Lower Daman, a health resort. Apply Mrs. E. Menezes, Brighton Hotel, Daman. 8430

For Sale beautiful house, near Golf Course, Mount Abu with outhouses, stables and good compound. Apply Box No. 8437 "Bombay Chronicle."

ASTROLOGY

Senkon, well-known Chinese Astrologers of the Far East are now in Bombay, and have commenced their business at Gd. Fl. "Navsari Chambers", Outram Road, Opp. Lloys Bank, Fort. Appointment should be made through Phone 25373. Time 8-30 to 11 a.m. 8424

INVESTMENT.

anted immediately investment 25,000/- to 50,000/- for 'A' class n Productions at Bombay. ding stars and technicians' coation. Uptodate studio and butor arranged. Producer ing over a lac. Apply Box 21 "Bombay Chronicle."

CHINERIES FOR SALE

l Engine Units—Booking r Power Kerosene Opera-16 H. P., complete with ated clutch. Best Amenufacture—Leroi Co.— na & Co., 5 Pratap Connaught Circles. 7921

NEOUS ADLETS

nest Literature for ly). Visit or write: ry, 195, Hornby 8444

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE
GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY
Office of the Milk Commissioner.

SEALED TENDERS accompanied by an earnest money deposit equivalent to 10% of the tendered value, are invited for the purchase of the undernoted empties, Damaged Milk Powder, etc. Tenders may be for all or any of the items available for disposal or for the whole or part of any one item. Last date for receiving tenders is 5 P.M. on FRIDAY, April 9, 1948. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

The goods can be inspected in consultation with the Milk Manager, Separated Milk Powder Depot, Cricket Club of India, Churchgate, from whom full particulars of the terms and conditions can also be had free on any working day during office hours.

Name of Article	Approximate Quantity
Empty packing cases, 1 Cwt. capacity	1,500
Empty packing cases, Rectangular	960
Tin Drums, 50 lbs. capacity	114
Wooden Barrels, capacity 200 lbs. and 250 lbs.	542
Empty tins, 1 cwt. capacity	1,644
Empty tins, 5 lbs. capacity	135
Empty Cardboard Cartons	9,874
Damaged Skim Milk Powder	6 tons
Damaged Whole Milk Powder	3 tons
Iron, hoops, wires, etc.	1 ton

D. N. KHURODY.
Milk Commissioner,
Bombay.

Office of the
Milk Commissioner,
Wellington Cinema Bldg.,
Dhobi Talao, Bombay. 7954

BOMBAY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
CHIEF INSPECTOR OF STEAM BOILERS AND SMOKE NUISANCES, BOMBAY PROVINCE.

APPLICATIONS are invited BEFORE 8-5-1948 from natives of the Province of Bombay and from non-Muslim refugees from Pakistan for permanent and pensionable post of Chief Inspector of Steam Boilers and Smoke Nuisances, Bombay Province. AGE.—Not less than 30 years and not more than 35 years on 1-7-1948. PAY.—Rs. 800-1000, subject to revision, PLUS cost of living allowance and conveyance allowance and Bombay House rent allowance if admissible under the rules. QUALIFICATIONS. A candidate (i) must possess a Board of Trade certificate of competency of the extra first class and must have served as an Engineer or Ship Surveyor under the British Board of Trade for not less than four years or have had experience of boiler insurance inspection work or of Consulting Engineering work in connection with the inspection of boilers; (ii) have had good experience in design and construction of land boilers and engines and possess upto-date knowledge of steel works and boiler works practice; and (iii) be competent to take sole technical control and management of a department, the duties of which are inspection of all land boilers and steam pipes throughout the Province of Bombay. He must be fully conversant with boiler construction formulae and be able to advise Government in keeping boiler rules and regulations uptodate and in matters connected with the examination of Engineers and Boiler Attendants and with inspection of Smoke Nuisances. Application form supplied on receipt of a large addressed envelope bearing 3½ annas stamps and CROSSED Postal Order for Re. 1/- payable to "Secretary, Bombay Public Service Commission," Bombay, who will supply full details on request. CANVASSING IN ANY FORM WILL DISQUALIFY THE CANDIDATE CONCERNED. (7953)

THE BOMBAY ELECTRIC SUPPLY & TRAMWAYS CO., LTD.,
(In Voluntary Liquidation).
LOST TEMPORARY RECEIPT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Temporary Receipt No. 16984 in respect of 5 Ordinary Shares No. 466951 to 466955 of the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co., Ltd., (In Voluntary Liquidation), standing in the name of Mr. Chatrubhuj Menghraj Ahuja has been lost, mislaid or destroyed.

Any claim in respect of these shares should be notified to the Company at their registered office, Electric House, Bombay No. 1 within 15 days from the date hereof, otherwise a duplicate Temporary Receipt will be issued irrespective of any claim in respect thereof.

CHATRUBHUJ MENGHRAJ AHUJA.

Dated 29-3-48. (7956)

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Hindi-Typewriter Black key card sets available at 3/- each. Limited stock. 12½ per cent discount who indents for one doz sets. Meerut Typewriter Co. Bundela Meerut Cantt. U. P. 8434

Available ex-Stocks American Electric Gramophones from Rs 180/ Flourescent tubes and reflectors Electric lamps all standard voltages and types from 15 watt to 1000 watts C.T.S. cables all sizes good discounts for quantities Apply Box No. 3985 "Bombay Chronicle."

PUBLIC NOTICES

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY
NOTICE TO OWNERS OF VEHICLES AND ANIMALS

MUNICIPAL WHEEL TAX for the first quarter of the year 1948-49 (April to June 1948 falls due on 1ST APRIL, 1948). Owners of motor vehicles are requested to pay the tax to the Ward Inspectors of the Assessment and Collection Department or to send the amount direct to the Assessor and Collector at the Municipal Head Office, Fort, Bombay.

The following instructions are published for the information of the public:

(1) Under Section 188(1) of the Municipal Act, a notice is required to be given to the Municipality within fifteen days after a person has become "the owner" or has obtained possession or control of a vehicle or animal.

(2) Under Section 188(2), every person, who ceases to own or have possession of any vehicle (or animal), is required to give immediate notice to avoid "liability" for the continued payment of the tax.

(3) A REFUND of the tax paid is admissible under certain circumstances, specified in Section 190 of the Act, provided due notice has been given of the occurrence of the event, and an application claiming refund is made (Section 191).

As the liability to pay wheel tax goes with the possession of the vehicle, intending purchasers of motor vehicles would do well to verify BEFORE PURCHASE WHETHER MUNICIPAL WHEEL TAX ON THE VEHICLES HAS BEEN PAID UP-TO-DATE.

Owners of HAND-CARTS and BULLOCK CARTS, who are likewise liable to the tax, are requested to pay the tax to the authorities named above, and to obtain number plates in token of the payment.

B. K. PATEL,
Municipal Commissioner.
Bombay, 1st April, 1948. (7959)

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS FOR THE YEAR, 1948-49.

the Municipal Corporation have fixed the rates for General tax (including 3·4% Fire tax), Water tax and Halalkhor tax at 14¾, 3¾ and 3% respectively of the rateable value. FROM 1-4-48, THE RECEIPT HAS BEEN SEPARATED FROM THE BILL. Accordingly, a separate receipt bearing the Municipal Coat of Arms will be passed on payment of the taxes mentioned in the bill. Receipts not bearing a Municipal Coat of Arms must NOT be accepted, as they will not be recognised. The procedure prescribed in passing receipts for payment of [illegible] briefly as under:

(i) When bills are paid in CASH, a separate receipt as stated above will be passed to the ratepayer along with the bill, endorsed with the receipt number and the date of payment.

(ii) When bills are paid in CHEQUE, an acknowledgment letter showing the particulars thereof will be passed, and on realization of the cheque, a regular receipt with the relevant bill endorsed as in item I will be handed over to the ratepayer by the Ward Superintendent of the Assessment Department on his calling at the Ward Office after a period of 25 days, but within 30 days, from the date of tendering the cheque failing which they will be sent to him by ordinary post, at his risk.

When cheques are dishonoured action as provided by law will be taken.

The above procedure is also applicable to bills for wheel tax, meter hire, and water charges by meter measurement.

Ratepayers are informed that under Section 22 of the Bombay Finance Act, 1932, as now amended, the Urban Immovable Property tax on structures which were hitherto liable to a lower rate, viz., 3½ per cent is now to be levied at a higher rate if such structures belong to one owner, are situated in a contiguous locality, are used in connection with the same business, and their aggregate rateable value exceeds Rs. 2,000/- per annum.

In case of doubt about any payment or other question affecting assessment, ratepayers should seek information from the Assessor and Collector direct at the Municipal Head Office, Hornby Road.

Ratepayers are further informed that the Municipality will not hold itself responsible for non-receipt of applications, notices, complaints, etc., against rateable values, which are required to be made within fixed periods prescribed under the provisions of Chapter VIII of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, unless proper acknowledgments (from the Department concerned) are produced in support. Non-receipt or delayed receipt of any such application, etc., sent by post, will be entirely at the applicant's own risk.

B. K. PATEL,
Municipal Commissioner.
Bombay, 1st April, 1948. (7958)

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned will carry on business as Solicitors and Notaries Public under the style or firm of Messrs. ROMER DADACHANJI SETHNA & CO. as from 1st April, 1948.

DINSHAW D. ROMER
M. P. DADACHANJI
N. H. SETHNA
F. A. DOTIVALA

1-4-1948.
14K, Hamam Street, Bombay. 7946

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

MR. WALTER BARRY GLENDINNING LAIDLAW has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firms in Bombay and Karachi.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & CO.
Calcutta, 1st April, 1948. 7951

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY

EVERY OWNER of a Dog kept within the City of Bombay has to take out a license (under Section 191A of the Municipal Act) on payment of Rs. 5/- upon furnishing, before 1st May, 1948, the necessary particulars in a prescribed form which can be had from the Head Supervisor (Dog Licensing Establishment), Sanitary Institute Building, Princess Street, Bombay.

A person, who comes into possession of a Dog after 1-5-48 has to take out a licence within a week from the date on which he takes charge of the Dog.

Any owner of a Dog not under the age of six months, who will fail to do so will be liable to be prosecuted and punished with a fine which may extend to Rs. 50.

Owners of Dogs, who have to renew their licenses for 1948-49 are requested to return at the time of renewal the old Dog Number Tickets and Licences to the Head Supervisor at the above address.

B. K. PATEL,
Municipal Commissioner
for the City of Bombay.
Municipal Offices, Bombay. 7952

PRIMARY EDUCATION ACT. 1925
MUNICIPAL SCHOOL BOARD, BANDRA
COMPULSORY EDUCATION SCHEME

THE PUBLIC of Bandra Municipality Area are hereby informed that a list of children of school-going age who do not attend schools, according to the census taken in February, 1948, has been kept ready in the Office of the Municipal School Board, Bandra, for their information.

C. C. SUTARIA,
Chairman.
Municipal School Board,
Bandra.
School Board Office.
[illegible] 7930

G. I. P. RLY.—TENDERS

THE DEPUTY GENERAL MANAGER (Grain Shops), G.I.P. Railway, Bombay [illegible] will receive tenders on the prescribed form upto 3 p.m. on 3-4-48 for the supply of Agmark Ghee at the Railway godowns on the Bhusaval Division. Tender documents may be obtained free of charge from the above Office. 7944

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership subsisting between the undersigned and Mr. M. R. BILIMORIA, carrying on business as Solicitors and Notaries Public at 14K, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, under the style or firm of Messrs. Merwanji Kola & Co. has this day been DISSOLVED inter se.

As Witness our hands this 31st day of March, 1948.

DINSHAW D. ROMER.
N. H. SETHNA
M. P. DADACHANJI
F. A. DOTIVALA 7945

THE SCINDIA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

50 Share Certificates of this Company No. 2032389-438 standing in the name of Mrs. Kantaben Manibhai Amin and Manibhai B. Amin have been lost or mislaid. Any claim in respect of these shares should be notified to the registered office of the Company, Scindia House, Ballard Estate, Bombay, within 8 days from hereof, otherwise duplicate certificates will be issued to the above named.

NAROTTAM MORARJI & CO.
Agents.
1-4-48. 7948

NOTICE

WANTED for the Tata Main Hospital, Jamshedpur, a trained Masseur with experience in organising rehabilitation centres. Applications with full particulars of qualifications and experience together with three recent testimonials and stating the minimum salary required should be addressed to the Assistant Director of Personnel (Employments), The Tata Iron & Steel Company, Ltd., Jamshedpur, ON OR BEFORE 17TH APRIL, 1948. 7949

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of a Draftsman, at the Village Industries Experimental Workshop, Poona, in the grade of Rs. 80-5-130 (likely to be revised for the better) and other allowances as sanctioned by Government from time to time. The post is temporary but may be made permanent.

QUALIFICATIONS: — Examination of the Sir J. J. School of Arts or diploma of a recognised Engineering Institute. Knowledge of building drawing will be considered additional qualification. Three years practical experience in machine-drawing and estimating.

AGE LIMIT: 25 years for advanced class and 28 years for intermediate and Backward Classes. May be relaxed upto 35 in deserving cases.

Applications in prescribed form, obtainable from the undersigned by sending a self-addressed envelope bearing 1½ anna postage stamp, should reach not later than 20TH APRIL, 1948.

D. A. SHAH,
Joint Registrar,
for Industrial Co-operatives and Village Industries, B. P. Poona. (7955)

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE
OPENING FROM 1ST APRIL

WE HAVE PLEASURE to inform our friends and customers that we have opened a branch Office at 2nd Fl. Buckley Court, Wodehouse Road, Near BEST. Appointment should be made between 2 to 6 p.m.

CHINESE MEDICINE CO. 8441

GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY
SCHOOL FOR TRAINING OF LABOUR WELFARE WORKERS

THE SHORT TERM COURSE (duration about three months) of this School will commence working with effect from 12th April, 1948. The object of the School which is located in the Gymnasium Building of the 'A' type Labour Welfare Centre, Worli, is to give theoretical and practical training to persons aspiring to be Social Welfare Workers or Labour Leaders or Personnel Officers in Factories. Certificates of proficiency will be given to candidates declared successful in the examination to be held on the conclusion of the term.

The fee for the Short Term Course is Rs. 25/- to be paid in one instalment in advance. Minimum qualification for admission to the course is a 'pass' in the Intermediate Arts Examination but persons who have appeared for that examination this year may also apply.

The last date for receiving applications, copies of which will be available in the Office of the Principal of the School during working hours, is 4TH APRIL 1948. As only a limited number of persons is to be admitted to the Course candidates desirous of joining it are requested to send in applications immediately.

PRINCIPAL,
School for Training of Labour Welfare Workers.
Office:
Govt. Labour Welfare Centre
Gymnasium Building, Worli.
Bombay 18. 7947

NOTICE
No. 1/48.

APPLICATIONS are invited for a temporary post of Accountant on Rs. 100/- in the grade of Rs. 100-8-140-10-170 p.m. plus dearness allowance admissible, for the Cottage and Small Scale Industries Sales Depot of the Co-operative Department in Bombay. Candidates should preferably be Commerce Graduates with accountancy and auditing, or diploma holders in accountancy of any recognised institute and should have practical experience in commercial accounts, and domiciled in Bombay Province.

Applications giving details of educational qualifications, practical experience, age and domicile should reach the Special Officer, Cottage Industries Products, Block No 7, Queen Barracks, Cooperage, Bombay 1, on or before 15th April, 1948. 7950

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE OF BOMBAY
TESTAMENTARY & INTESTATE JURISDICTION
Petition No. 136 of 1948

Petition for Succession Certificate in respect of certain debts and securities belonging to HER HIGHNESS MAHARANI GAJRARAJA SCINDIA, of Gwalior Hindu Inhabitant, who resided at Jai Vilas Palace, Lashkar, Gwalior .....Deceased.

HIS HIGHNESS Sir JIWAJIRAO MADHAVRAO SCINDIA, Maharaja of Gwalior of Gwalior Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Jai Vilas Palace, Lashkar, Gwalior .....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Succession Certificate.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) S. J. RAHIMTOOLA,
Prothonotary & Senior Master.

The 23rd day of March, 1948.
Messrs. KANGA & CO.
Petitioner's Attorneys. 7961

TO,
Messrs,
1. HEMANDAS HOTCHAND ADVANI.
2. LACHMANDAS HOTCHAND ADVANI.
3. BHARATMAL HOTCHAND ADVANI.
4. RAMCHAND HOTCHAND ADVANI.
5. SHATURGUN HOTCHAND ADVANI.

Dears Sirs,

Under instruction from our clients Seth Vanechand Mulji, we have to call upon you to pay our clients the amount due from you on mortgage deed, dated 5th February, 1946, with interest at the stipulated rate within three months from the receipt hereof, failing which our client will have no alternative but to have the property sold at your risk, appropriate the sale proceeds to his dues and recover the balance if any from you personally and or take such other legal steps for the recovery of the dues as advised at your risk as to cost and consequences.

We are sending this notice through press as the notices sent by registered post on 18-2-48 have returned unserved with a remark that you have left Bombay.

Yours Faithfully,
TARACHAND & CO.,
Advocates. 8443

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF TENDER
MILITARY ENGINEER SERVICES

THE CHIEF ENGINEER Southern Command, Poona invites tenders for supply of ONE crore of first class well burnt bricks required to be supplied at Cochin, within six months from the date of order to supply, which will be about the beginning of May, 1948. Tender forms will give full particulars of the quality and specification of Bricks required and other conditions of contract.

Application for tender forms will be received upto 10th April, 1948, from all intending suppliers, whether they are borne on the M.E.S. List of Contractors or NOT. In the event of their being selected to tender, contractors not on the M. E. S. List will be required to be enlisted as M. E. S. Contractors. 7957

AUCTION SALES

RE: GULABCHAND ABHERCHAND JHAVERI

Insolvency No. 92 of 19[illegible]

PURSUANT to Court's [illegible] made on 15th December, 19[illegible] under instructions from th[illegible] cial Assignee of Bombay a[illegible] the consent of the Mortga[illegible] Madhuribai, wife of Dw[illegible] Mooljl, M/s Bennett & [illegible] sell by public auction th[illegible] title and interest of the s[illegible] solvent and of the said mo[illegible] in the following immovab[illegible] perty, at their premises [illegible] Apollo Street, Fort, Bomb[illegible] Friday 2nd April 1948 at [illegible] (S.T.)

This sale is subject to th[illegible] cial Assignee's confirmatio[illegible] will be confirmed by him[illegible] office on Friday, 16th Apr[illegible] at 1 p.m. (S.T.)

PARTICULARS OF TH[illegible] PROPERTY

The undivided 1/4 share [illegible] right, title and interest of [illegible] solvent Gulabchand Abh[illegible] Jhaveri in all that pi[illegible] parcel of freehold land [illegible] with the building there[illegible] at Charni Road admeasuring [illegible] sq. yds. and registered in [illegible] books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 267 new No. A/1/1843 old survey No. 137 and new survey No. 2 AA/8042, Cadastral Survey No. 26 of Girgaum Division bearing D Ward No. 1167-68 and Street No. 305-309.

For further particulars and conditions apply to the Official Assignee of Bombay or to M/s Dikshit Maneklal & Co., Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

BENNETT & CO.

VACA[illegible] IN THE[illegible]

To [illegible] candida[illegible] followi[illegible]

(a) A[illegible] [illegible] tion [illegible] and [illegible] Indi[illegible]

(b) Pre[illegible] R.L[illegible]

(c) A c[illegible] yea[illegible] in[illegible] sh[illegible] pr[illegible]

Those wi[illegible] not more [illegible] with qu[illegible] 25 year[illegible] Applica[illegible] ence to[illegible] to the Fi[illegible] Headqua[illegible] pay, term[illegible] those wi[illegible]

Distribu[illegible]

Printed [illegible] MICHA[illegible] Parel [illegible]